

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION
3:12-mc-131

In Re:

MONWAZEE BOSTON

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ORDER

THIS MATTER is before the Court for summary contempt proceedings, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 401(1) and Fed. R. Crim. P. 42(b).

The Court certifies the following basic facts¹: on August 9, 2012, during the trial of Gary Mountcastle, Damien Cosme Cisneros, and Demorris Anderson, (Case No. 3:11-cr-3), Monwazee Boston was called as a witness and pleaded the Fifth Amendment upon being questioned. The Court informed Monwazee Boston of a previously entered Order, (Case No. 3:11-cr-3, Doc. No. 357), granting him immunity in the subject area of the questioning and ordered him to testify. Monwazee Boston persisted in pleading the Fifth and refused to answer questions in disobedience of a lawful order. The Court observed all of this conduct.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Monwazee Boston is found in contempt of court and sentenced to five month's and twenty day's in jail consecutive to any other term of imprisonment.

Signed: August 30, 2012



Robert J. Conrad, Jr.
Chief United States District Judge



¹ The Court made more detailed factual findings in open court as reflected in the transcript filed with this Order, which the Court incorporates by reference.